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### **Ventura County Community Foundation Resource Center Offers “Executive Directors’ Roundtable”**

(CAMARILLO, CA – August 26, 2005) — The Ventura County Community Foundation’s Resource Center for Nonprofit Management will be holding an “Executive Directors’ Roundtable” focused on “Managing Change in Your Organization” on September 7 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. The event will be hosted by FOODShare’s Jim Mangis.

Individuals who hold executive director positions are invited to join Mangis, VCCF leadership and their peers from throughout the county to discuss issues facing business today. “The only requirement for the workshop is to come with a brown-bag lunch and a question, problem or scenario for the group’s consideration,” says Resource Director Dena Jenson.

The workshop will be held at the VCCF office at 1317 Del Norte Road, Suite 150, in Camarillo. There is a \$10 fee, and individuals may register by calling Susan Seale, resource center program coordinator, at (805) 988-0196, ext. 10.

The September 7 workshop is part of a series of Executive Directors’ Roundtables sponsored by the Foundation. The next roundtable will be held on November 9 and will be focused on “Consensus Decision Making.” Host for that event will be David Friedlander from Kids and Families Together.

Since 1991, the Resource Center at the Ventura County Community Foundation has provided training, research materials and technical assistance to nonprofit organizations in Ventura County with the goal of strengthening the ability of those organizations to deliver needed services in the community. It is the only center of its kind in the county.

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